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Attorney Docket No. P1005

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Solomon, Walter

Serial No.: 09/648,930

Filed: August 25, 2000

For: Buoyant Waterfowl Decoy with Interchangeable Movable Appendages

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**RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the First Office Action mailed September 3, 2003, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in light of the present Response and Amendments. Applicant also requests a two month extension of time to respond to the September 3, 2003 Office Action, which Applicant encloses the appropriate fee amount of \$210.00 under 37 CFR §1.17(a), and add four (4) new dependent claims which require a fee of \$36.00.

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